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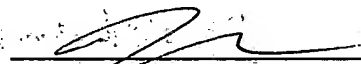
Pursuant to the Duty to Disclose under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, the references cited on the accompanying form PTO/SB/08A are hereby brought to the attention of the Examiner for independent evaluation. The references were cited during the prosecution of the parent to the present application. The parent application is No. 10/341,875, filed January 14, 2003, and is relied on for an earlier effective filing date under 35 U.S.C. §120. Information disclosure statements filed in the parent application complied with 37 CFR §1.98(a) through (c). Therefore, in accordance with 37 CFR §1.98(d), copies of the references are not believed required, and are not enclosed herewith.

Certification

This Statement is being filed concurrently with the filing of the present application, and this paper is thus submitted in accordance with 37 CFR §1.97(b). In view of the above certification, a fee is not required for consideration of these documents. Nevertheless, should a fee be deemed to be due by the Commissioner, such fee should be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0951.

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